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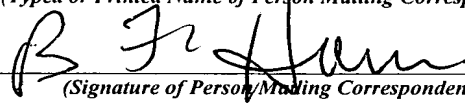
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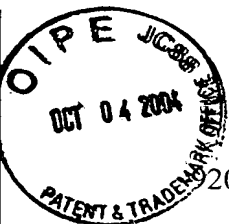
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Dear Sir:

In response to the examiner's office further and final action of July 30, 2004, it is requested that the application be amended as follows: